TWO PEOPLE HAD COME TO THE RIVER AT THE FOOT OF 'PIKOPIKO MOUNTAIN'.

IT WAS A BEAUTIFUL NIGHT ON A CERTAIN PLANET.

LEADER 6: THE TERROR OF PIKOPIKO MOUNTAIN...!!

THEY SAW WHAT LOOKED LIKE A CHILD DROWNING IN THE RIVER!

SFX: BASHA BASHA GEH

...BUT THEN, ALL OF A SUDDEN,

ABOUT THE BRIGHT FUTURE AHEAD OF THEM, UNDER THE STAR-FILLED SKY...

I love you, too.

I love you.

THE TWO OF THEM TALKED UP A STORM

AT THAT CHILD'S FACE.....

SFX: BASHA BASHA

LOOK...

SFX: バシャ バシャ

——BUT THE WOMAN STOPPED HIM...!

THE MAN WAS ALREADY ABOUT TO JUMP INTO THE RIVER TO SAVE HIM,

'TH-THAT CHILD... SOMETHING JUST SEEMS OFF ABOUT HIM...!!'

'WHY ARE YOU STOPPING ME?!!'

LEADER 6:
THE TERROR OF PIKOPIKO MOUNTAIN...!!

AND LAUGH-ING!

EHAH

EHAHAH

HE'S LOOKING THIS WAY

SFX:
BASHA
BASHA
BASHA

AND STARING AT THE COUPLE, MUTTERED

WHEN HE DID, THE CHILD SUDDENLY CALMED DOWN.

WHEN HE SAW THAT, THE MAN BACKED AWAY FROM THE WATER.

I WAS SO CLOSE...'

'DARN,

SFX: SHUDDER

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PIKOPIKO KID OF PIKOPIKO MOUNTAIN.

YES, THIS IS THE WELL-KNOWN

MORON! I'M ONLY UNDER HERE CAUSE IT'S COLD, YOU MORON!

YOU AIN'T FOOLIN' ME! I SAW YOU SHIVERING UNDER THE COVERS!

You've got the AC on way too high!

HM...? Y-YOU MORON, WHO THE HELL'D GET SCARED BY THAT?! IT WAS JUST STUPID...

MAN, THAT WAS SCA——RY——! HUH, GON-CHAN?

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--so then, uh, Hirosue

HWAH?! GO SEE WHAT?!

THEN HOW 'BOUT WE GO SEE FOR OUR-SELVES?!

WHAT A LAME-ASS SHOW!!

I MEAN COME O——N! EVERYBODY KNOWS THERE AIN'T NO SUCH THINGS AS GHOSTS!!

SFX: DOKIH (BA-DUMP)

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OOOOOOOH! SORRY, DIDN'T KNOW YOU WERE SCARED 'A GHOSTS, TOO, GON-CHA——N!

SFX: PIKUH

OKAY, GUESS I'LL GO HOME!

HEH? I AIN'T GOT A CLUE WHAT YOU'RE TALKIN' ABOUT...

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're you a moron?

LET'S GO THERE AND SEE FIRSTHAND IF IT'S REAL OR NOT! C'MON, PIKOPIKO MOUNTAIN AIN'T FAR FROM HERE!

EIJI'S A REAL NUT FOR STUFF LIKE UFOS AND SPIRITS...

HE SURE KNOWS A LOT ABOUT 'EM, TOO...

THEN LET'S GOOOOOO! LET'S SEE IF THE PIKOPIKO KID IS KID OR MYTH!

I, GONZOU THE SUPER-HUMAN, AIN'T AFRAID 'A NOTHIN'!

Hmm??

EY-EIZ!!!!, WHO DO YOU THINK I AM, DAMMIT?!

IS HE AFRAID TO GO IF IT'S JUST THE TWO OF US?

I'm borrowing yer phone

YA KNOW WHAT THEY SAY, THE MORE THE... THE MORE, THE UH... YOU KNOW, THAT THING!

LIKE TAKESHI AND TENDOU AND THOSE GUYS! HOW 'BOUT IT?

OH, I KNOW, LET'S CALL EVERYBODY!

WHAT'S MY OPINION...? UH.. I DON'T REALLY HAVE ONE...

OOH, MITSURU, YA THERE? WHAT'S YOUR OPINION ON GHOSTS AND THAT SORTA THING?

UHH, NO. I'M REALLY NOT.

HEY, GENKI? YOU'RE TOTALLY UP FOR HEADIN' OUT TA PIKOPIKO MOUNTAIN, RIGHT?

NOT INTERESTED.

AAAH, HEY, TENDOU? WE'RE ABOUT TO HEAD TA PIKOPIKO MOUNTAIN.

OKAY, FORGET IT THEN.

HOOH? MEEE? YOU WANT ME FOR SOMETHIN'? MA----N, I DUNNO------! I'M SU-----PER BUSY RIGHT NOW. HMM------

HEY, TAKESHI. YOU FREE?

SFX: GACHA TSUUU TSUUU

CHEER UP, GON-CHAN! IT'LL BE OKAY! THERE'S STILL TAKESHI!

I'm gonna get abducted, ain't I?

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THAT SURE AS HELL WAS NOT A PASSIONATE INVITE!!

NO LEADER COULD TURN DOWN SUCH A PASSIONATE INVITE!

I KNEW YOU WERE FREE!!

HEEEY, GONZO-OOOOU!

SFX: GIRARINKO (SPARKY SPARK)

YEAH, I DUNNO WHAT THAT MEANS. ANYWAY, LET'S GO.

50,000 volts?

AND IF I GET SERIOUS, I CAN GET THAT UP TO 80,000 VOLTS!

I HAVE 50,000 VOLTS OF SIXTH SENSE.

WELL, ANYHOW, LEAVE ANY GHOSTS TO ME.

AFTERNOON OR NIGHT, SPECTERS SHOW UP IN DROVES ALL YEAR ROUND.

PIKOPIKO MOUNTAIN

'PIKOPIKO MOUNTAIN' IS A SPIRIT AREA PROMINENT ON A WORLDWIDE SCALE.

THAT'S WHAT THE RUMORS SAY, ANYHOW...

IF YA FALL IN, IT'S OVER..... HE'LL KILL YOU.

WHADDA WE DO IF WE DO FALL IN?

MAKE SURE YOU DON'T FALL INTO THE PIKPIKO KID'S RIVER, GOT THAT, GON-CHAN, TAKESHI?

SFX: KORO KORO (ROLLLL)
ZOOOOOOO (SHUDDER) GAKU GAKU (SHAKING)

EHAHA HAH

HE LOVES TO PLUCK THOSE EYEBALLS OUT AND ROLL THEM AROUND INSIDE HIS MOUTH ...

THE EYES OF HUMANS THAT SEE A CHILD DROWNING AND JUMP IN TO SAVE HIM ARE PARTICULARLY PRETTY...

THE PIKOPIKO KID'S FAVORITE FOOD IS HUMAN EYEBALLS... ESPECIALLY CLEAR AND PRETTY EYES...

YOU TAKE ONE, TOO.

HERE, TAKESHI.

DON'T WORRY, I BROUGHT A FLASHLIGHT.

H-HEY, IT'S GETTIN' DARK OUT KINDA EARLY, AIN'T IT? IT'S STILL EVENING.

WUAHA AAAAA AAAAA AAAAA AAAAA AH!!!

SFX: YURAAA (FLOAT)

FINALLY SHOWED THEM-SELVES, EH?! WHERE?!

WHAT?

THE GHOOOO-OOSTS!

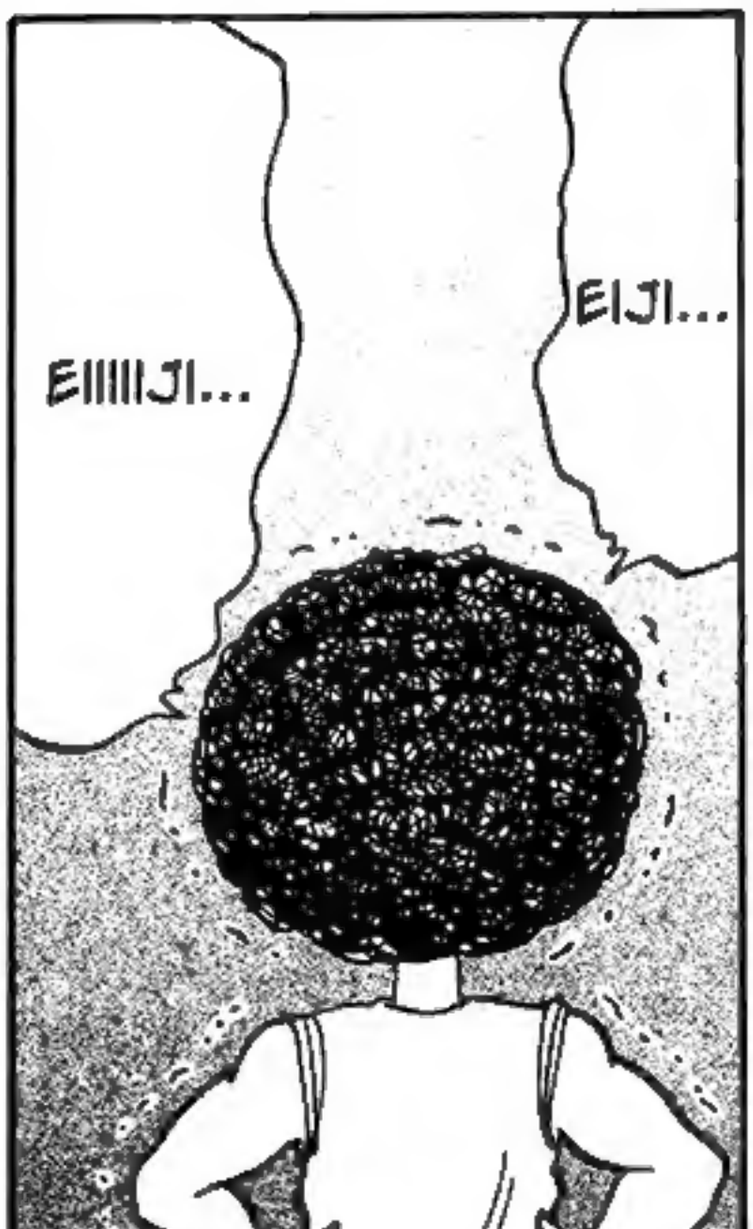
THEY'RE HEEEEEERE!

HUH?

HMM? WHE—RE?

BAS-TA—RDS. WHERE ARE YA, DAMMI—T?

SFX: DOKIH (BADUMP) BIKUH (SURPRISE)



H-HEY...
BUT GON-CHAN, YOU SURE HIGH TAILED IT OUT OF THERE QUICK.
MAAAN, THAT SURE SURPRISED MEEE... THOSE THINGS SURE DON'T WAIT LONG, DO THEY...?

THERE IT IS...

T-THERE IT IS...

HUH?

SFX: PURU PURU PURU PURU (TREMBLE)

IT'S THE PIKOPIKO KIIIIIIIID!!!!

SFX: DOOON BASHA BASHA

THERE IT IIIIIIIS!!

AH!

SFX: GAH

!!

SFX: GABU

FOR REAAA AAAL?!

HUUUUH?!

WHEEEEE!

SFX: ZABBUUUUUN (SLPAAASH)

UWA AAAA AAAA AAAA AAAA AH!!!

UWAH

EHAH!

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SFX: ZABU ZABU (SPLASH SPLASH)

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IT WAS JUST A NORMAL HUMAN.

WELL, I'LL BE DAMNED.

UH, SURE ...

THAT'S WHAT YOU MEAN, A NEW FIRRRST! RIGHT?

BUT YOU'RE THE FIRST HUMAN THAT DIDN'T RUN WHEN HE SAW US.

MUST BE BECAUSE I'VE GOT SUCH A PRETTY-BOY FACE! JUST SEEIN' IT MAKES YOUR HEART POUND, RIGHT?

You just fell in love, didn't you?

WE WERE SURE YOU WERE SOME SORTA NEW TYPE OF MONSTER... UH, I GUESS WE SHOULD APOLOGIZE FOR THAT, TOO.

IT'S SUPER DANGEROUS!!

WHAT?! PIKOPIKO-PON?! WHAZZAT? IS IT DAN-GEROUS?!

AH... THE PLACE THAT VOICE IS COMING FROM... IT'S THE PIKOPIKO KID!!

Did something happen?!

GON-ZOU?!

HMM?

That voice!

UWAAAAAA

SFX: GAOA

I'M COMIIIIN, GONZOOOOOU!!

MAN, THAT'S REALLY DANG DANGER-OOOOUS !!

ABOUT LIKE THIS.

IT'S THIS DANGER-OUS!

WELL, HONESTLY ...

SHOW ME THROUGH DANCE MOVES!

HOW DANGER-OUS?!

THAT DANGER-OUS?!

GUOAH!

SFX. GAH

THAT'S GAME OVER FOR ME, MAN.

IT'S OVER.

H-HE'S GOIN' FOR MY EYES...

UOH! D-DAMMIT...

GON-CHAN!

AAA!!

T/N: THE TEZUKA AND AKATSUKA AWARDS ARE AWARDS GIVEN BY SHUEISHA (THE COMPANY THAT PUBLISHES THIS MANGA) TO NEWCOMER MANGA ARTISTS FOR STORY AND COMEDY RESPECTIVELY

SFX: GURI

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TAKE-SHII IIIII IIIII II!!!!!

AAAAH.... POPS, MAMMA, PLEASE FORGIVE THIS UNDUTIFUL CHILD FOR GOING TO A BETTER PLACE BEFORE YOU.....

AH... YEAH, AND I WAS SUPPOSED TO GO TO THE DENTIST TODAY...

I STILL HAVEN'T WON THE TEZUKA OR AKATSUKA AWARDS...

AAH... THINKING BACK, I'VE DEFINITELY GOT STUFF LEFT UNDONE...

I STILL HAVEN'T MADE MY DEBUT CD OR APPEARED ON A TV DRAMA...

TA-KE-SHI!

ORAAAA!!!

SFX: GOA

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SFX: YURAAAA (DRIFTING) PIKU PIKU (TWITCHING)

SFX: GON

NUH?

EHAH

WHAT'S WRONG WITH YOOOOU?!!

AH, TAKESHI, BEHIND YOOOOU!

WHAT'S WROOOONG?!

HMM?!

USE THE POWER OF OUR FRIEND-SHIIIIP!!

RUN, WHILE YOU'VE GOT A CHAA-ANCE!

NYORAA!!

SFX: PIKUH

SFX: GASHIII

HE'S GOT POWER OVER 950,000 THIS GUY!

H-HE'S SO STRONG...!!

WHAT THEEEEEE?!

UOAAAAAAAH

SFX: ZABAA

SFX: POI GAN

BUHEA

Love...

NNGH

GUH

Friend-ship.....

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lies...

Those things are all

ARE REAA AAAAAL!!!

NONE OF THOSE THINGS

SFX. ZABABABA

SFX. GAH

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USE YOUR LEADERSHIP PUUUUNCH!!

NOW, TAKESHIIIIII!!

EIJI!!

GON-ZOU!!

!!

FRIEND-SHIP...

IN THIS WORLD...

SFX. BASHU

T-TAKEDA-KUN... HELP... ME...

ABUH! ABUAH!

HELP...

SFX: DODODODODODO

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HOLD ON, PIKO!!

I-I'LL GO CALL FOR HELP!! IT'LL JUST TAKE A SECOND!!

AND PLAY AROUND THERE TO HAVE FUN FOR A WHILE...

TAKEDA-KUN!

HELP ME!

H''

SFX: ZAAAA DODODODO

THAT DAY, I WENT WITH MY BEST FRIEND TAKEDA-KUN TO SEE A RIVER THAT HAD SUDDENLY RISEN FROM HEAVY RAIN

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NEVER CAME BACK——

H''T''T''T

THERE'S FRIENDSHIP RIGHT HERE!

THEY ARE REAL!

SFX: DON

TAKEDA-KUN....

WHAT'RE YA...

WHA...

TAKE-SHI...

THANK YOU.

HE DISAP-PEARED ...

H-

SFX: SHUAAAAAA

YOU REALLY KEPT IT.!.!?

THAT PROMISE WE MADE SO LONG AGO...

!!

AH!

SFX: BUWAO

YOU CAME TO SAVE ME.... OUR....

YOU CAME BACK FOR ME...

AND SO HE WAS NO LONGER ABLE TO GO BACK....

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WHEN TAKEDA-KUN WAS SEARCHING DESPERATELY IN THE HEAVY RAIN FOR SOMEONE TO HELP HIM, A TRUCK WITH BROKEN LIGHTS DIDN'T NOTICE HIM IN THE ROAD

THAT DAY —

TTTTTTTT

SFX: GYAKIIIIIIIII

YEAH. IT ALL TURNED OUT OKAY.

BUT I'M GLAD PIKOPIKO KID WAS ABLE TO GO TO HEAVEN.

YEAH.

THE ONE THAT SUFFERED THE MOST MIGHT'VE BEEN TAKEDA-KUN... SINCE HE WASN'T ABLE TO FULFILL HIS PROMISE WITH PIKO.

SO TAKEDA-KUN, THE ONE THAT WENT TO GET HELP, WAS IN AN ACCIDENT HIMSELF, HUH...?

THAT'S WHAT MY GRANNY TOLD ME.... IT HAPPENED A SUPER-LONG TIME AGO.

WE'RE NOT GOIN' OVER THERE, MOROOOOONooo

HEEEY! C'MON OVER AL-READYYY!

C'mere! C'mere!

RECONNECTING. THAT FRIENDSHIP.

NOW, THEY'RE PROBABLY UP IN HEAVEN,

AH. YEAH, YEAH. I MADE SOME NEW FRIENDS TODAY, SO HOW 'BOUT I INTRODUCE YOU GUYS?

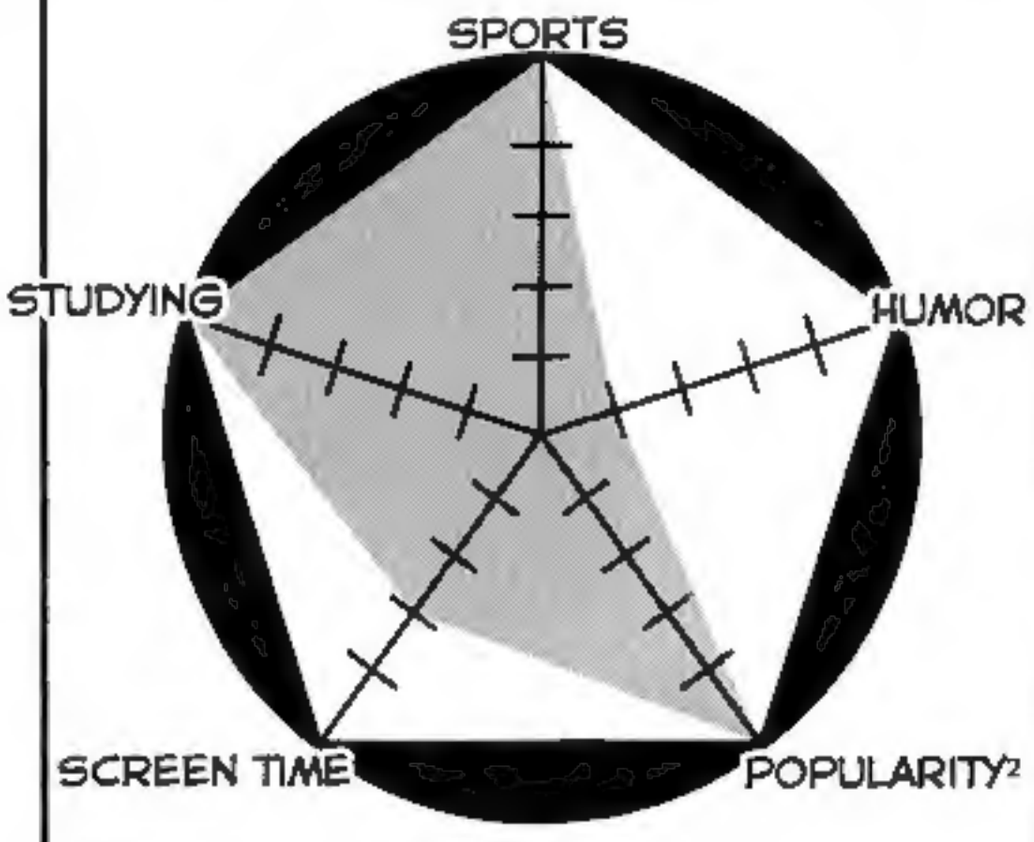
YEAH.

OKAY, LET'S HEAD HOME.

Personal History

Name	TENDOU				
Birthday	September 2nd	Star Sign	Virgo		
Blood Type	Type-A	Height	130cm	Weight	27kg

The class president of Year 1 Group 2! Truly a being of honor-student-ness!! He's accomplished in both the literary and military arts as well as far and away the most popular with the girls in his class!! A while back he was selfish and a bit harsh, but the influence of Takeshi's friendship has made him mature as a human being.



(**HOBBIES**) Studying. Music appreciation.

(**SPECIAL ABILITIES**) Swimming. Karate. Judo. Kendo. Tae Kwon Do. Unlocking the classroom in the morning. (**LATEST OBSESSION**) Pension issues. The way the throats in Ikkokudou move.

T/N: A FAMOUS VENTRILOQUISM ACT.

(**COMMENT FROM TENDOU HIMSELF**): 'It's a real challenge being class president, pulling along the gaggle of naughty kids that is Year 1 Group 2. But I'll carry on with my task to the best of my ability!'

(**FRIEND'S COMMENT**): **KUURIN**: 'To tell the plain truth, the other day I licked Tendou-kun's alto flute." **GONZOU**: 'If you're gonna cheat, do it off Tendou.' **TAKESHI**: 'Tendon, always set me as your goal to be reaching for.'

HI WA MATA NOBORU

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